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IN THE PATENT APPLICATION OF:

NATHAN P. PARKER

U.S. SERIAL NO: UNKNOWN

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EXAMINER: UNKNOWN

FOR: AIR FILTER WITH EXPANDABLE
FILTER MEDIA

La Crosse, Wisconsin
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
P.O. Box 2327
Arlington, VA 22202
Dear Sir:

For the benefit of the Examiner, applicant encloses copies of the following patents which have relevance as discussed in the Background section of the application.

U.S. Patent 1,982,639 to Christofferson; U.S. Patent 2,393,419 to Schaaf; U.S. Patent 2,739,667 to Palmore; U.S. Patent 3,246,456 to Sharp and U.S. Patent 3,630,003 to Revell et al.

Applicant also submits copies of applicant's U.S. Patent 5,665,145 to Goodman et al. and U.S. Patent 6,066,194 to Huggins et al. as peripherally related to filters. These patents are not considered to be particularly relevant to the present invention and are submitted solely to fully comply with applicant's duty of disclosure.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "William O'Driscoll".

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